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SENATE RESOLUTION

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WHEREAS, The members of the Senate of the State of Illinois learned with regret of the death of Art "Bud" Bourland of West Frankfort on July 25, 2005; and

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WHEREAS, He was born May 21, 1940, in Franklin County to Arthur Herman Bourland and May (Henson) Bourland; he married Laura Staffey on October 19, 2002; and

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WHEREAS, Mr. Bourland served his country as a member of the U.S. Navy; he retired June 1, 2005, as coordinator of the Franklin County Emergency Services and Disaster Agency and was the coordinator of the city of West Frankfort Emergency Services and Disaster Agency; and

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WHEREAS, The passing of Art "Bud" Bourland has been deeply felt by many, especially his wife, Laura; his brother, F.E. "Red" Bourland; his sister, Kathy Braden; his stepdaughter, Lori Miner; his stepson, Joseph Miner; and his four step-grandchildren; he was preceded in death by his parents; his first wife, Barbara Jean Bourland in 1999; and his brother, Jim Bourland; therefore, be it

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RESOLVED, BY THE SENATE OF THE NINETY-FOURTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ILLINOIS, that we mourn the passing of Art "Bud" Bourland, and we extend our sincere condolences to his family, friends, and all who knew and loved him; and be it further

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RESOLVED, That a suitable copy of this resolution be presented to his family as an expression of our deepest sympathy.

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